



Secretariat

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INFORMATION CIRCULAR

To: Members of the staff

From: The Assistant Secretary-General for Human Resources Management

Subject: TRANSITIONAL MEASURE UNDER THE UNITED NATIONS JOINT
STAFF PENSION FUND PENSION ADJUSTMENT SYSTEM:
WAIVER OF PERIOD OF NOTICE OF RESIGNATION

1. The General Assembly, by resolution 46/192 of 20 December 1991, approved a longer-term modification of the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Fund (UNJSPF) pension adjustment system for determining the initial local-currency pensions of certain staff in the Professional and higher categories, with effect from 1 April 1992. The earlier transitional measure adopted by the General Assembly in 1990 will, as scheduled, expire on 31 March 1992. The background of the longer-term modification and of the transitional measure, including the countries to which the latter applies, is described in detail in the letter, dated 30 September 1991, sent to all participants in the Fund by its Secretary.

2. The purpose of the present circular is to inform staff members in the Professional and higher categories who meet the eligibility requirements for the transitional measure that, in order to benefit from it, they must separate from service no later than 31 March 1992. Eligible staff who are considering this option may wish to obtain estimates of their benefits for comparison purposes from the Pension Fund. All such staff who decide to take advantage of the transitional measure may request a waiver or reduction of the period of notice of resignation required by the Staff Rules. The Administration will consider favourably any such request.
